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SUBJECT.

Sanction to an allotment of Rs 57395/- to meet the cost of acquisition of certain lands for the New site of Mental Hospital.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Read :—

Letter No.1148/P.R.C. dated 18-11-40 from the Chairman, Prisons Reforms Committee, recommending, among others, the shifting of the Central Jail at Bangalore from its present place to a site outside the City and adjoining the grounds of the New Mental Hospi and the early acquisition of the lands in the new site selected for the purpose.

2. Letter No.C5.L.A.P.59/40-41 dated 25-4-41 from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, forwarding proposals for the acquisition of 131 acres - guntas of land in the above area and requesting sanction for allotment of ₹ 57,295/- to meet the cost of acquisition of these lands.

Order No. PW 106-111 S Dated 4-7-41

The Prisons Reforms Committee are of opinion that it is undesirable to continue to have the Central Prison of the State in the heart of the City and in close proximity to courts, offices and educational institutions, as it will have an unhealthy psychological influence on the public mind, specially on the younger generation. Besides, the existing Jail is very old and unsuitable. They have therefore recommended that the Central Jail may be shifted to a new building to be built well beyond the outskirts of the City preferably in the area near the new Mental Hospital.

3. Government are pleased to approve the proposal to shift the Central Jail to the site selected for the purpose near the New Ment Hospital. They are also pleased to approve the proposal of acquiri an extent of 131 acres - guntas of land near the New Mental Hospi Bangalore, required for the construction of a new building for the Jail.

3. The cost of acquisition of the lands in question may be met from the provision of ₹ 50,000/- made in the budget of 1941-42 for the purpose.

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2. The Chief Engineer is requested to arrange for the preparation of plans and estimates for the construction of the new building in consultation with the Inspector-General of Prisons and submit the same for sanction of Government at a very early date.

D. S. Venkatarama
Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department

The Chief Secretary to Government
The Secretary to Government, Law Department
The Chief Engineer of Mysore
The Inspector-General of Prisons
The Accountant of Mysore
The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

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Submitted for kind perusal.
- Law Secretary) 3/9/7/41
Minister for Law) Hm 2 10/7/41
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